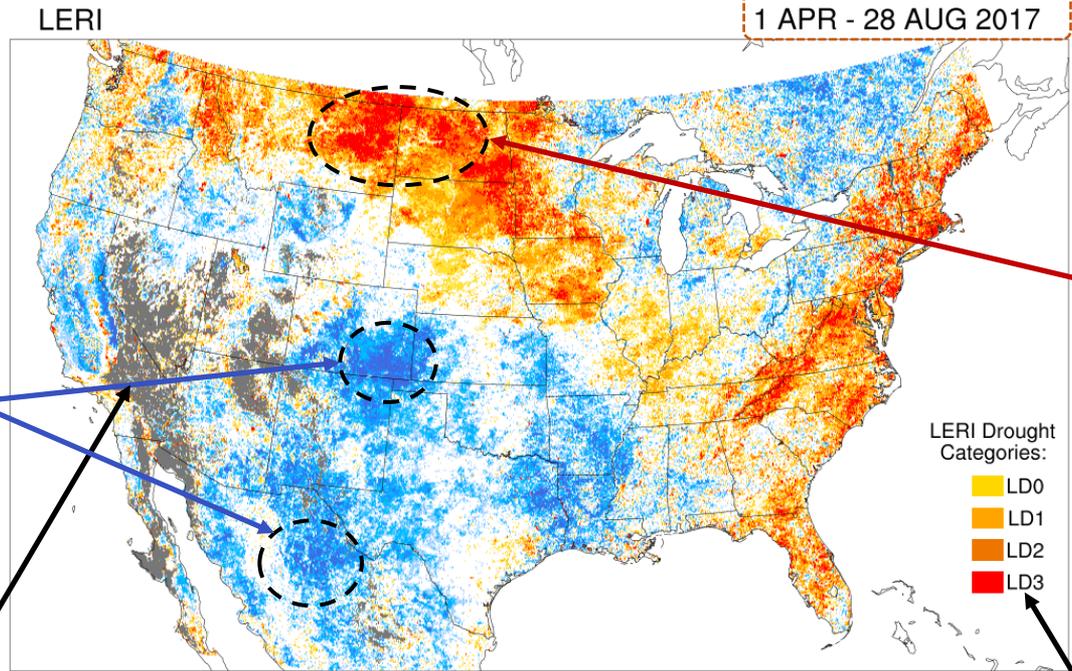


# Reading a LERI map

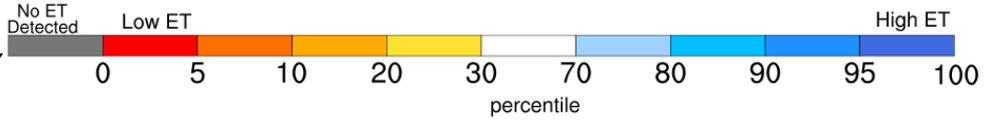
Time period for which the LERI map is generated

1 APR - 28 AUG 2017

Unusually high evaporative response as accumulated during this period signifying unusually wet land-surface conditions



Unusually low evaporative response as accumulated during this period signifying unusually dry land-surface conditions. LD3 means that this dryness is expected less than 5% of the time



These categories are analogous to D0-D3 categories in the US Drought Monitor. There is no LD4 category because of the short period of the SSEBop ET<sub>a</sub> record

The gray shading shows that no ET<sub>a</sub> is detected using the SSEBop method

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